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In re Application of: Bart Alan Meltzer et al.

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Title: **DOCUMENTS FOR COMMERCE IN
TRADING PARTNER NETWORKS AND
INTERFACE DEFINITIONS BASED ON
THE DOCUMENTS**

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STATEMENT OF RELATED CO-PENDING APPLICATIONS

Sir:

This application is related to co-pending U.S. Application No. 09/173,854 filed on 16 October 1998, entitled "MARKET MAKERS USING DOCUMENTS FOR COMMERCE IN TRADING PARTNER NETWORKS". Kenneth R. Coulter (Art Unit 2758) is the examiner in the related case.

The Examiner's attention is drawn to the prosecution of the related case, which has inventors in common and may include overlapping subject matter and references. Review of the numerous Office Actions may be warranted.

Fee Authorization. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge underpayment of any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0869 (OIN 1004-1).

Respectfully submitted,

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